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Gould Wins Western Maine Championship

Gould Academy, after coming from behind to beat Thomaston in the first round, swept through two favored opponents to gain the Western Maine crown.

Gould 33—Thomaston 26

Getting off to a bad start and with Dana, star Thomaston hitting the net constantly Gould fell behind in the opening period 12-3. However, in the second stanza with Allen and company coming to life and Foster were great too. The score was reversed with Gould connecting for 12 and Thomaston 3 making the score at half time while Young took Davis' place after he was fouled and scored three.

The third period was close but Gould managed a 27-26 lead. It was Gould (51)

with Wood doing great work under the basket, holding the losers scoreless, that finally won the game. Davis (5) Parsons (0) Allen (0) and Wood (1) with 18 points was high point man for the winners while Dana (21) with 16 led the Thomaston attack.

Gould 47—St Ignatius 44

Again the "Blue and Gold" got off to a bad start and found themselves on the short end of a 10-2 score. They however cut that margin to 12-6 at the end of the first period. In the second period Gould Academy scored 11 points, including 3 baskets by Allen the Saints gathered only seven leaving the half time score Gould 17, St Ignatius 19.

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It was the Gould-Berwick game that stunned the deepest and the game as Davis scored 6, Wood 5, entire crowd. Given very little chance to win over Berwick's fast smooth passing, Gould stopped out and immediately proved that they were in there for a real battle. They gained only a 11-9 lead in the first period but in the second things began to happen. Allen came through with 3 baskets, Davis scored once from the floor and twice from the foul line, while Wood made good on 2 out of 3 free throws for a total of 12 points, while Berwick's speed boys could collect only 3 points.

Behind 23-12 at the half Berwick started playing an all over force.

New Listening Device Tested by U.N.



A new system of wireless, portable receivers to pick up simultaneous interpretations of proceedings in any one of five languages is being tried out by the United Nations. Here Cuba's E. P. Cisneros turns the language selector dial of his receiver as China's Dr. T. Y. Wu watches.

Chicken-of-Tomorrow Leaders



Elmon Jordan of Lisbon, Maine, left, who won his state's 1946 Chicken-of-Tomorrow contest, looks on at the 99th Boston Poultry Show as Harold Tompkins of Concord, the Massachusetts 1946 winner, examines a wax model of the ideal meat-type chicken which is the goal of the nationwide, three-year breeding program. Poultrymen from the six New England states are competing for \$10,000 in regional and national awards offered by A & P Food Stores to contestants producing the best results.

GOULD MEETS PATTEN ACADEMY FOR STATE TITLE

Saturday afternoon at 3:15 Gould Academy, winner of the Western Maine Turney, will meet Patten Academy, Eastern Maine Titleists, at the Lewiston Armory. Patten defeated Lawrence High of Fairfield 43-42 in the Turney finale while Gould was upsetting St Ignatius 47-44. Gould's record now stands 14 victories in 18 starts. Patten Academy's record is more impressive with a loss in the opening game of the season and finishing with 17 straight victories. However when Gould defeated St Ignatius they had a string of 17 straight victories also.

The game should be another thriller and Bethel fans will be flocking to Lewiston again this week end to support their team. The winner of this game will go to the Boston Gardens to play on March 22.

CROSS-OLESON

Miss Alice Olson, daughter of Mr and Mrs Gustave Olson of Berlin N H, became the bride of Alton Cross, son of Mr and Mrs Edgar Cross of Bethel, at a ceremony in the bride's home, Wednesday afternoon with Rev George B Williams pastor of the St Barnabas Episcopal Church officiating at the double ring ceremony.

The bride wore a light blue ensemble and a corsage of pink roses and baby's breath.

Miss Norma Cross, sister to the bridegroom was maid of honor. She wore a navy blue ensemble with corsage of red roses. The bridegroom was attended by Russel MacLean.

A reception and buffet luncheon followed the ceremony.

After a wedding trip Mr and Mrs Cross will locate at Hartford, Conn. The bride traveling in her wedding outfit with green topper and matching accessories.

The bride, born in Berlin, was graduated from BHS and Northampton Business College, Northampton, Mass. She is employed by a Lumber Co, in Hartford, Mass as a secretary.

Mr Cross was born in Bethel, was graduated from Gould Academy and served three years in the U S Army in the ETO. He is now employed as a bus operator at Hartford.

Attending from out of town were Mr and Mrs Edgar Cross, Mr and Mrs Don Cross, Mr and Mrs Stuart Cross, Miss Mary Cross, Miss Mary Cross, Louis Cross, Robert Lowe, all of Bethel and Russell MacLean of Hartford, Conn.

Mr. Libby and Foster played well, although they had their troubles coming up with the ball as the Saints pressed them viciously all the way up the floor.

L'Heureux and Martineau starred for the Sanford Club with 17 and 15 points each.

Gould (47)

Libby 9 2 2
Allen 6 9 12
Davis 7 1 29
Foster 0 0 0
Parsons 2 9 4
Wood 3 3 9
13 11 47

Saints (44)

Proutchette 2 2 6
Martineau 7 1 15
L'Heureux 7 3 17
Jacques 0 1 1
Roberge 2 1 5
13 8 44

Gould 6 17 34 47

Saints 12 19 26 44

RED CROSS CAMPAIGN

Miss Cleo Russell is the Bethel chairman of the American Red Cross campaign. The following collectors are: Karl Stearns, Grover Hill; Mr Fred Douglas, from River Bridge to Newry; Miss Constance Philbrick, Chadbournes Hill; Mrs Homer Smith, Mill Hill; Mrs Florence Hastings, East Bethel; Miss Minnie Wilson, Northwest Bethel; Mrs Norman Hall, Elm, Summer, High and Mechanic Streets, Mrs Eugene Van Den Kerkhoven, Partridge and Church Streets, Mrs G. L. Thurston, Broad Street; Mrs Charles Gorman, Vernon, Chapman, Mason and Philbrook Streets, Mrs Alice Ballard, Railroad, Clark and Bridge Streets; Mrs Eunice Haines, Main and Spring Streets, Mrs Winfield Haines, from overhand bridge to West Bethel; Mrs Edward F. Irwin, Emily Academy; Ernest Bush, Railroad Station to Elmer Frank; Mrs Marguerite Bartlett, East Bethel; Mrs Florence Holder, Gilead; Stanley Brown, Railroad to Locke Mills; Miss Cleo Buswell, Park Street; Miss Bennett, West Bethel.

COLLISION

Several Bethel people were involved in an automobile accident last Saturday afternoon when Rev Kingsley Hawthorne and several of the Boy Scouts were returning from Verlin, N H.

Rev Hawthorne received knee and chest injuries. Richard Emery, lacerations on the head, requiring stitches; Eugene Brown, a slight concussion; Other Bethel boys in the car were Walter Osgood, Albert Taylor, Donald Groleau and Roger Pratt.

The Kinsley car had considerable damage estimated at \$500.

"Between Us"



IN AND ABOUT BETHEL

Mrs Asa C Bartlett is confined by illness.

Robert Billings has purchased the Snack Shop property of Charles Keoskie.

Mrs Flora Berry of New London, Conn., is a guest for several weeks of Mrs John Compass.

Robert Greenleaf, a student at the U of M at Brunswick, spent the week end at his home.

Mrs Alice Coffin of North Paris spent a few days the past week with relatives in town.

Charles Chapman, Grammar School principal, moved this week to John Howe's on Broad St.

Dr and Mrs Gerald Kneeland have returned from Boston where they attended the Ice Follies.

Mr and Mrs Arthur Kilbourn of Cape Elizabeth, were recent guests of Mr and Mrs Isaac Dyer 2nd.

Miss Annie MacKinnon R N, of Rumford was a week end guest of Mr and Mrs Norris Brown.

Mr and Mrs Robert Konstant moved this week to one of Leslie Davis' apartments on Spring St.

Brian Seethorne spent the week end with his grandparents, Mr and Mrs Wilfred Seethorne at Auburn.

Pamela Young entered the Maine General Hospital, Portland, Wednesday for observation and treatment.

Mr and Mrs Thomas I Brown of Newport, Vt, spent a few last week with Mr and Mrs Norris Brown.

Miss Barbara Coolidge, a student nurse at the C M G hospital, Lewiston, is spending several days at her home.

Mr and Mrs Clayton Fossett and son, Paul, were recent guests of Mr and Mrs Nathan French at Milan, N H.

Mrs Robert C Herzog, of Atlantic City, N J, is a guest of her parents, Mr and Mrs E O Donahue for several weeks.

Elizabeth Waldron is spending a few days with Mr and Mrs Joseph Perry and Wayne, while her mother is in the hospital.

Mrs Wallace Foulridge and Mrs Royal Hodson attended the annual convention of the Maine Grand Lecturers in Lewiston last week.

Eliza Barlow, who has been spending the winter with her sister, Mrs E H Smith, has gone to Massachusetts to visit her daughter.

George Harlow, who has been confined to his home by injuries received a few weeks ago has returned to his work at Chadbourn's Mill.

Clayton Bane returned Tuesday to New York city where he is attending the McAlister Embalming School after spending a few days with his family here.

Mary Ann Myers and Jean Conner entertained Thursday at a skating party. Refreshments were served. Those present were: Nancy Carver, Donna Anderson, Sheila Nandy, Sandra Myers, Jori Brown, Jean Conner, Joan Bennett, Bobby Blake, Herbert Adams and Mrs Helen Verner, Mrs Katherine Adams and Mrs James King.

Friends of Clayton Fossett were very sorry to learn of the death of his brother, Gerald, of New Harbor Maine, who was lost at sea during the storm Monday. The accident occurred near Old Orchard Beach when Mr Fossett's 48 foot fishing boat, Pemaquid 2nd was wrecked with two aboard.

The Five Towns Teachers Club met Wednesday evening at the Bethel Grammar School building. It was voted to hold a professional meeting on March 13 with Mrs Hastings and Mrs Ethel Ward serving on the committee. Refreshments were served by Miss Helen Verner, Mrs Katherine Adams and Mrs James King.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Twenty-eight members and four visitors attended the meeting of the Bethel Chamber of Commerce at the American Legion Home.

Tuesday evening, New information on oil town and other developments was presented by the winter sports committee. Francis Noyes explained the planned improvements in street lights which will be presented at the Corporation meeting. After the close of the business Ted Emery gave a very informative review of the development of atomic energy.

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY

The American Legion Auxiliary held a regular meeting at the home of Mrs Selma Chapman. Thursday evening.

Several members met in the afternoon to talk quilts. After a patrick supper the meeting was held.

It was voted to give a donation to the Red Cross.

Mrs Jane Van Den Kerkhoven was appointed Poppy chairman.

After the meeting an American Legion program was presented by Mrs Chapman and Mrs French.

Song, "Battle Hymn of the Republic"; Patriotic 15 minute, marching songs, "America".

CHICKEN OF TOMORROW

The Ford Beach Wagon, Rev Hawthorne was driving and owned by Mrs Harry Ruzik collided with a car driven by Louis Verner of Verlin, N H.

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BIRTHDAY PARTY

Little Charles Mills was given a party in observance of his first birthday Wednesday afternoon, March 5, by his mother, Mrs Robert Mills, assisted by Mrs Homer Smith and Mrs Lee Hutchins. Guests were Linda Lee Paine, Charlene Swan and Ronda Lynn Chapman and their mothers. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served, and the honor guests received several gifts.

GOULD ACADEMY NOTES

Headmaster and Mrs Elwood F Ireland are attending the meeting of Secondary School Principals, under the auspices of the National Education Association at Atlantic City, N J, held from March 1 to 7. During this visit Mr Ireland will also attend a meeting of the Gould Academy board of Trustees in New York City.

On March 8, Mr Willibur Myers, Gould bursar and ski coach, will attend the ski school at Stowe, Vt, for instruction leading to recognition as a Certified Ski Instructor.

Broadcasting over Portland Station WPOR on Sunday afternoon, March 2, a Gould team met a team of Westbrook High students in a quiz contest, dealing with the State of Maine half hour program. Those taking part were Janice Bowman, Ruth Judding, Richard Little, and Charles Smith. The Westbrook students had a slight edge on the Gould candidates, winning by a point score of 93 to 93.

Headmaster and Mrs Ireland entertained the cast and production staff of the recent one act plays at their home on Tuesday evening. Some of the recordings presented to Mr Thompson, the coach, were played, games enjoyed, General singing and refreshments ended a pleasant evening.

Mr Foster, faculty advisor of the very active Gamma Club, is busy taking pictures of all types of student activity for the senior year book, the Academy Herald. With a March 15 deadline to meet, the club members are making the dark room one of the busiest places on campus.

For the annual Senior play to be presented Friday, April 19, Mr Thompson has selected the tried and true farce, "You Can't Take It With You." The cast has been selected, after a week of tryouts as follows: Anne Lilliby, Mary Plum, Barbara Stearns, Robert Jenkins, Harlan Stearns, Jack Libby, John Howland, Stanley Cole, Sally Lloyd, Dick Day, James Stafford, Robert Gilson, Isabel Bennett, Lloyd Dickson, Joann Perkins, Barbara Gifford, Russell Cram, Dick Hawley and George Cole. Stage Manager is Leo Navy and Prop Master with Leland Brown will handle props while Betty Gandy will handle publicity.

NORWAY

Officers Elected:

Moderator—Norman U Greenlaw

Clerk—David A Klein

Secretary—Leroy C Luce, Herk

Collector, Treasurer, and Road

Manager—taken care of by

School Committee—Fessenden G

Millet, 3 yrs.

Appropriations:

Roads and Bridges \$16,000.00

Serial notes 3,000.00

Snow Removal 18,000.00

Schools, High School, Supplies and Physical Education 57,000.00

Public Health Nurse 150.00

Contingent Fund 4,000.00

Alatemens 500.00

Maintenance 3d Class Road 1,668.00

Painting, Town Ott, Exp. 2,000.00

Interest Chgs. 2,000.00

Car, Town Dmp. 2,000.00

Scalde Trees 150.00

Support of Poor Children 4,000.00

Fete Recalls Strides in Telephony

Bell's Varied Achievements Revealed During Centenary

By BAUKHAGE
News Analyst and Commentator.

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WASHINGTON. — Everybody has been talking telephones because of the well-publicized Alexander Graham Bell centenary. Reading the pounds of publicity, I learned more about Alexander Graham Bell than I ever knew before. I had read of how he dreamed of making the telegraph instrument "talk" and how and why his dream came true. I didn't know about his father's deep study of phonetics and his own interest in "making speech visible." In teaching the deaf to talk, or that he was an accomplished musician or many other facets of this remarkable man's remarkable history.

I already knew a little about the telephone business from first hand observance.

It was just about 20 years before I ever used a telephone that Bell, thanks to his harmonically trained ear, found on that day in 1875 that what he thought could be done, had been achieved in his own laboratory on Court street, Boston. From then on it was just a question of removing "the bugs." The next year he was demonstrating his instrument before audiences with conversations over several miles of wire. Before he died at the age of 75, people were talking over an underwater cable from United States to Cuba.

I doubt if the great inventor were to return to earth today, he would



A study of Alexander Graham Bell in later life shows how he spent many hundred "man-hours" of his time—tabulating statistics concerning the deaf. At one time he produced a "Memorandum Upon the Formation of a Deaf Variety of the Human Race."

be greatly surprised at the strides in telephony which have been made since his death, great as they have been. He may not have considered, however, one of the temporary problems (electrolysis) which created many a headache for the telephone company and which helped, indirectly, to provide the writer of this column (who was to be a future extensive user of telephone facilities) with a part of his education.

To explain the above remark:

(1) 150,000 miles of program trans-

mission circuits now are provided by the Bell system for use of radio networks. (It's "wireless" to your home from your radio station, but it's "wired" between stations.)

(2) The writer has been using a lot of these circuits five days a week for most of the last 14 years.

(3) He worked two college vacations as "electrolysis inspector" for the telephone company.

To explain further:

(1) You know how electroplating is done? The object—say it's a spoon—to be plated is suspended in a "bath" containing the material with which the spoon is to be plated. An electric current is passed through the substance in the bath into the spoon. The substance follows the current as far as it can, which is the surface of the spoon. Anyhow it moves.

(2) You've seen the lead-sheathed cables containing telephone wires being pushed through the manhole into conduits that lie under the pavement. The sheath on the cable protects the insulated wires that carry the current which rings your phone bell and carries your voice.

(3) But other electric currents get loose and run all over the place. You'd be surprised but almost every foot of earth or anything that will conduct an electric current in a city has some electricity flowing through it.

When the power companies were careless about preventing leaks in their wires it was worse. Stray currents left power wires on the rails of electric railways and took a short cut back to the power house.

(4) Whenever they found a good conductor like a lead cable, that was like thumbing a ride for the wandering volts and amperes. So far so good. But eventually they had to leave the cable, to find their way to a better conductor or just to say "so long" and struggle back to the dynamo.

(5) When they did that, "electrolytic action" set in. The lead in the cable sheath followed the current as far as it could (like the substance in the bath) and left the sheath porous. Dampness and destruction came in and soon your telephone line was out of order.

My job consisted of sitting by the hour watching the face of an ammeter (which registers the direction and flow of electric current) and discovering where the current was escaping. Then I had to get the power company to do what it could to stop leaks and the telephone company did all it could to keep stray current out or to provide a safe exit for what got in.

In the process I learned much more than I earned—not much about electrical engineering but I had a fine worm's-eye view of several Mid-Western cities—bird's-eye view, too, for I worked in cable boxes up on poles, as well as down in manholes, and also learned that it isn't only newspapermen who "meet so many interesting people."

When I ponder on my electrolytic age and also when I "address the mike" Mondays through Fridays now, I am deeply and doubly grateful to Alexander Graham Bell.



DIVERSIFIED DIET . . . Anything from Russian borsch to Italian spaghetti is contained in the lunch pails of students at the American school in Tsingtao, China. The reason: Eighteen nationalities are represented among the students.

NEWS REVIEW

Clash on Budget Looms; Union Merger Advanced

CONGRESS: Budget Trouble

As in the case of reducing personal income taxes, the Republican congress divided on the extent of slashing President Truman's 1948 budget request of \$37.5 billion dollars.

While GOP members in the house led by Representative Taft (Rep., N.Y.) favored a \$6 billion dollar cut, Senate Republicans led by Senator Taft (Rep., O.) stood out for a 4½ billion dollar decrease. It was expected that a compromise figure of \$5 billion would be reached, permitting a 20 per cent income tax reduction and a sizable surplus to be applied against the national debt.

House Republicans charged their Senate colleagues with having succumbed to military and naval pressure against substantial reductions in army and navy expenditures. Declaring there was room for economy "and an end to extravagance" in every federal agency, including the army and navy, they asserted that the services could take a 15 per cent slash in appropriations without hampering national defenses in the slightest.

Taft replied any cut in military appropriations be held to 10 per cent to assure national security and fulfillment of overseas obligations.

LABOR:

Discuss Unity

Divided in 1935 over the issue of vertical (mass) organization of workers, the "House of Labor" was another tortuous step closer to unity with CIO acceptance of an AFL invitation to merge the two great American labor movements with a total membership of over 12 million.

Significantly, John L. Lewis of the United Mine Workers, who left the AFL to head the new CIO and then returned to the AFL, was named on the AFL negotiating committee headed by Pres. William Green. Fa-

millar with the mechanics and personalities of both unions, John L. is in a strategic position to pave the way for unification.

Representatives of two former AFL unions were named on the CIO committee led by Pres. Philip Murray. They included Emil Rieve of the Textile Workers and Jacob Patofsky of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers. As former units in the AFL, these two CIO unions also can bring their combined experience in both labor movements into the discussions to reach a common ground of agreement.

WHITE HOUSE: Emergency Ending

Continuing to keep abreast of the G.O.P., President Truman paved the way for an early end to the national emergency proclaimed in 1933 and extended in 1941.

With the Republican congress bent on restoring normalcy, Mr. Truman again anticipated G.O.P. action by asking the legislators to repeal 24 temporary laws, temporarily extend 12 others, permit another 10 to run out their course, and cut back 12 appropriations.

Among the 24 laws the President tabbed for repeal were those authorizing the secretary of agriculture to buy and distribute food for U. S. territories and possessions; disposal of ships under lend-lease; and accumulation of 90 days annual leave for government employees.

Laws which he said should be allowed to run their course include restriction of active duty of reserves to emergencies; government construction and use of petroleum lines, and temporary maintenance of housing on public lands.

Trimming of emergency laws would reduce the President's wartime powers still in effect to those covering the official war period, which will end with ratification of peace treaties.

POTATOES:

Seek to Avert Loss

Seeking to avert the loss of at least 20 million bushels of surplus potatoes taken over by the government in support of the 1946 crop, the department of agriculture offered them to commercial exporters and processors for 5 cents a hundred pounds. The support price was \$2.20.

The department's latest offer compared with a price of 35 cents previously set for export sale. Because of the low food value of potatoes, their perishability and high handling costs, foreign governments have preferred to purchase more nutritious and less cumbersome supplies of grain.

Inasmuch as they can buy wheat flour at five to six cents a pound, the foreign governments also have been hesitant about paying 15 to 20 cents a pound for dehydrating potatoes.

Sale of the potatoes to processors at 5 cents per 100 pounds will bring the price of the dehydrated potatoes down appreciably, providing a stimulus for export.



CONFIDENT OF VICTORY . . . Marlon Schulte—freckles and all—has her pet kitten "Hobey" all bundled up against the cold winter winds as she prepares to enter her in a New York pet show.

SHORT OF DEMAND

Improved Medical Care Urged

WASHINGTON. — Present-day medical personnel and facilities fall far short of the demand, Thomas Parran, surgeon general of the United States Health Service, declared in calling on congress to provide better medical care for all.

In his annual report on the nation's health, Parran asserted: "We have yet to solve the economic problem of medical care. We have yet to make it possible, to obtain one, regardless of income, to obtain the basic services needed for protection of his own health and that of his neighbors."

The two major problems con-

fronting public health workers were

listed as the extension of necessary health services and the battle against chronic diseases, particularly those of old age.

"As we have gained victories over the major communicable diseases, conditions such as heart disease, cancer and diabetes have moved to the fore as the causes of death," he said.

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situation in checking communicable diseases. Outstanding exceptions were a winter epidemic of respiratory diseases, an increase in the incidence of diphtheria, an outbreak of oriental small pox on the Pacific coast and continued prevalence of infantile paralysis on an epidemic scale for the fourth consecutive year.

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GRASSROOTS

by
WRIGHT A.
PATTERSON

Released by Western Newspaper Union.

"MASSSES" DO NOT REALIZE

BENEFITS OF FREE ECONOMY

IN A REPUBLIC, such as our forefathers established for us, democratic government is controlled by the masses, not by either the mob or the business executives. The masses include those who plow and sow and reap that all may eat; those who gather our raw materials from the mine, the soil and the forest; those who tend the machines in our factories; those who man our system of transportation; those who build our homes and roads. These, all consumers of our products, constitute the masses as distinguished from the business executives. The masses outnumber the executives by fully a thousand to one, and each has an equal voice as to what our government shall be.

The executive class does not control or direct America, much as it may believe it does, or should. Each executive has only the same percentage of say-so as has each worker in field, factory, store or transportation. That system of government, that way of life, favored by the masses, will be dominant in America.

The executive class, those who direct our industry, transportation and large scale merchandising, can see the direct result of the working of the American economic system to the industrial and financial problems as directed by them. Such results appeal to their ego in many cases. They look upon their achievements as great things accomplished for the nation, and they wish to see those accomplishments fully recognized. Many of them spend money rather lavishly to pay for that recognition. It tickles their vanity, although it accomplishes nothing in the matter of preserving the economic system that makes such accomplishments possible.

To us, the masses—the workers and consumers—the results for us as achieved by our economic system are more indirect than direct. While we may not see the black figures on the balance sheet of industry, transportation and large scale merchandising, we do profit indirectly by a higher standard of living than that enjoyed by any other people in the world.

What we call Communism, which is nothing more than state capitalism, the nationalization of business, is contending for world mastery. Communism is fighting the profit system, with this country the main battleground. The forces of communism are waging a propaganda warfare among the workers and consumers of America. Because our benefits from our free enterprise system are sufficiently indirect that we do not fully realize its application to our individual problems, we are more susceptible to that communistic propaganda than are those whose benefits are direct. If we are to be proof against that kind of warfare we should be provided with the armor of factual information. As individuals we are, as are those of the executive class, seeking that which we believe is best for ourselves as individuals.

While vast sums are being expended to attack our economic system; to show us, the workers and consumers, the so-called advantages of Communism as they apply to us as individuals, little or nothing is being done to provide us with the weapons or armor of defense. Many of the executive class are fiddling for their own edification while the primary foundation underlying our American greatness, our system of free enterprise, is burning. We, the workers and consumers, need to be told the values of that system to us as individuals. Without such telling we may lose that heritage, and when we do those who profit directly will pay heavily for their negligence.

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a Comes to the Point

Saud, crown prince of Saudi presented Harry Truman a jeweled sword and dagger from his father the other puzzles us. We had heard about the quality of those turkeys which the White has received, but we never anybody suspected they were

resident gets a lot of cur-
sents, but this sword and
one gives us pause. If we
Republican congressman we
feel uneasy. If we were Mrs.
we would feel fitfully, too,
even if we were Harry we
like it.)

country has had Presidents
those personalities a sword
tiger might not clash. But
not the type. Even a cloak,
turban wouldn't help mat-

ld be a step from all that
arabian horse. After that a
it does not belong to the
n people. He belongs to the

en lays himself open to be-
a double feature.

Saud in presenting the gifts
d Harry a letter from his
, the Imperial Poobah of
abia, where the oil comes
What did the letter say?
important. Did it contain a
rections for sword and dag-
ge?

open up 'Dear Harry: The
graph will show you how
these implements to Senna-
s chair?' Was there a post-
Also mighty handy for use
avel at all by motor bus or
air?

in the letter were there
s. 'Look sharp, act sharp,
!?

rn Prince Saud got an auto-
photo of Mr. Truman. It
seem to us that an auto-
photo of the President is
the mood in such an ex-
If we were the President's
y we would throw in a lari-
branding iron, or some-

level, Harry, whatever gen-
with the sword and dagger

ain't slash a man's tax with
Joe Martin is wearing a suit
these days.

fore you can get into Hen-
s office in the New Republic
ey search you.

• • •

Back Home Stuff

dition's anniversary stirred
memory of the kero-
up. Our boyhood home had
quarter meter), but Grand-
Johnson's house at 84 Sylvan
Jack home had no such lux-
used kerosene lamps and
the things of delicate beauty.
see her now, trimming the
shining the chimneys and
up the chintz shades which
to us to be pretty wonder-
e in a while she would send
it's grocery for a can of
We remember that Luiz
always slam a potato over
as a sort of cork. At our
the quarter meter came
and a tendency to expect too
two-bits and every once in
at dinner the light would
fade, bringing cries of
Who's got a quarter in

• • •

THE SUPER TYPE

A wonder man
Is Chester Rice;
He buys a car
At the stated price.
—Alma Denny.

• • •

ock after touchdown is not
be the same play in foot-
or the new rules. If blocked,
is to become dead. Thus
the most stirring moments in
is to be blitzed. The blocked
scramble for the ball, the
uncertainty for a few sec-
then, perhaps, a kid break-
the pack to score a long
oh, man! The game is
eadily modified to a point
is more fun watching the
iders.

YOU REAHEIMER—

back when the only thing that
you on the radio was the

Rodzinski, former conduc-
the New York Philharmonic,
to the Chicago Symphony,
I asked for and was given
ight release by the New York
we think if it had been
could have had a large cash
outfield violinists and a
of southpaw base players

LAST LOVER

BY Helen Topping Miller

Jill McFarlane, whose father, Rich-
ard, disappeared in World War I, falls
in love with Spang Gordon, a young
lieutenant. He tells her that her brother,
Ric, is seeing a divorcee and she
goes to camp to investigate. Ric avoids
her but she later sees him with Sandra
Calvert, an older, hardened woman.
Captain Mackey, known as "Old Cyan-
ide," tells her he knew her mother
many years ago. She feels she has met
him before. Spang calls to say good-
bye. Later, while riding with Dave Pat-
terson, a family friend who has always
secretly loved her mother, Jill, Jill
starts him by asking, "Why don't you
marry my mother?" Dave speaks of
her father.

CHAPTER IX

"Dave gathered up the reins. 'I
know, Jill. But there's nothing I can
do. Nothing I can say.'

"But—it's so stupid! With a world
full of unhappy heartbroken people,
people who can't help themselves,
who can't change things, why
should people make themselves un-
happily useless? When it doesn't
make sense!"

Dave looked at her then. "Do
you think Dooley is unhappy, Jill?"

"I don't think she has ever been
really happy. And she's so alone,
somehow. Even with Grandfather
and me around, and Mamie sputtering
in the kitchen, and Ric to worry
about, she's still so shut in, some-
how, so separate and remote. Cas-
ual things she can share, but real
things—the things that matter—
So I don't even know if she
cares about you, Dave. I'm just
the fool, rushing in."

Then Dave said, "I do love your
mother, Jill. You've seen that so
there's no use evading. But I
can't talk to her about it, not with
the barriers standing that she sets up
and defends as she does."

"I know. She retires behind that
aloof wall and smiles at you across it,
but you can't touch her. And if
you present any argument she levels
you with that gentle kind of con-
demnation. She does that to me.
It affronts her that other people
won't share her mistaken loyalty.
My father has always been some-
thing splendid in my life, but I can't
put him, like a pillar of cloud, be-
tween her and the things I live with,
the way Dooley does. I know that
he wouldn't want that sort of loyalty.
He was a human person, def-
initely, from the few things that
Grandfather has let slip when he's
angry at Ric. He liked living, and
he wouldn't be happy to know that
anybody took the veil on his ac-
count."

"Yes, he liked living," Dave said,
"and he did a lot of it in the few
years that he had. He was a very
handsome boy. He had that classic
face, like Ric's, but he had blue
eyes, with cool direct look."

"I know. I've got the picture of him.
And a sort of laughing mouth."

"Amused," Dave helped her out,
though the word that had first
flashed into his mind was "mock-
ing." "He was a lot like Ric. He'd
never been disciplined, he had a
restlessness that kept him on the
move, he . . ." Dave stopped, em-
barrassed, feeling that he had said
too much.

For Jill's face had changed, oddly.
It was as if something had
come to her, something only half-
guessed before, something she had
felt and feared a little, and put
away, hanging flags and decorations
to hide the sore place where it had
eaten.

She said, abruptly, "Let's go
back. I'm chilly!"

Dave said, "Cold—in this sun?"

"Mamie would say a goose was
eating grass on my grave—just one
of those shuddery things!" Jill tried
to laugh.

But inside she was cold and quak-
ing. Inside somehow, now, she
knew. About her father. All the
things that had never been said, all
the things that her mother had
guessed, even in her thoughts when
her children were present. Her fa-
ther had been like Ric. Not a com-
fort, not some one to lean on, some-
one to be proud of, but a heart-
strain, an unsolved riddle, a bewil-
dering and uncertain element in the
chemistry of her mother's life.

A Realization
Leads to Accident

Suddenly she knew that the look
she had glimpsed in Jill's eyes
whenever she looked at that pic-
ture that Jill kept like a shrine was
not really love. Not the quivering,
reaching, aching kind of love that
she herself had for Spang. It was
different, withdrawn somehow,
holding something back, remem-
bering too much. Things that had
never been told, that never, she
knew, would be told.

She whacked the mare suddenly
with the reins, jerked her head up,
pulled her about sharply. The
startled animal floundered, lost her
footing, jumped and scrambled to
regain it, and Dave yelled warn-
ingly and hurled his horse ahead,
but too late.

Jill went twisting from the saddle
and landed on her shoulder in the
rocky rubble of the lane, her bright
hair flying, her arm crumpled under
her. The mare jumped again,
clearing Jill's legs, and then stood
still, shivering.

Dave jumped down, cried, "Jill!"

sharply, but Jill's half-open eyes
were senseless and glazed.

He did not lift her. He shouted
at the mare till she trotted bewil-
dered aside, and then he eased
Jill's legs straight and picked a
wild grape bough and bent it over
her to keep the sun from her eyes.
Then, tying the mare to the fence,
he jumped back to his horse and
went pounding down the rocky hill to
the red roofs of Buzzard's Hill.

Jill opened her eyes and sneezed
and tried to push the tickling
branch off her face, but oddly her
left arm would not work.

She began to cry in a childish way,
tears running down her temples and
making wet spots on the earth.
The mare lifted her head and nickered,
shrill shrillings.

Wheels were coming up the lane,
an engine labored on the slope, and
there were voices. Jill lifted her
head painfully and looked into her
grandfather's frightened face. John
I. had no collar on and partly wiped
off his face was drying on his half-
shaven whiskers.

"Hello, Father," Richard McFar-
lane said coolly.

"So it's you, is it?" John I.'s
stare was hostile. "It's you—after
twenty-five years! What do you
want?"

"Don't, John, I!" Jill protested.
She said a trifle flatly, "Come in, Richard." But she did not hold
out her hand.

"Nice to see you again, Dooley.
Surprised?"

Jill's astonished confusion
chilled to a controlled calm. She
stood still, poised, stony, not
saying anything at all.

"Naturally, Richard. Having
mourned you for years as one noble
dead, naturally I'm surprised. Will
you sit down?"

He took the chair she indicated
and eased the creases of his smart
gabardine slacks, with the old casual
gesture that she remembered. John
I. did not sit down. His white
mustache was quivering like the
antennae of an angry insect. His
eyes snapped fire.

"And to what extraordinary cir-
cumstances are we indebted for the
honor of this sudden visit?" he de-
manded.

"Please—" Jill stayed the old
man's fury with a pleading hand.
"Richard has come home. Sit down,
John I. You're shaking all over.
Would you like a drink, Richard?"

"Not now, thank you, Dooley.
Why don't you sit down yourself?
She would not collapse into the
chair. She let herself down carefully,
a bit stiffly, feeling suddenly
as though her body had turned to
wood, as though her voice was
something mechanical, grinding out
words.

"So—you didn't want to come
back, Richard? All these years—
twenty-five years—you've let us go
on, with nothing but silence, nothing
but emptiness—because you
wanted it that way?"

"He didn't dare come back!"
barked John I. "I suppose you've
just found out, sir, that I'd cleared
up all that mess in Washington?" It
would have been outlawed anyway,
but I paid it all off—every penny."

"Was there something that had to
be paid off?" Richard asked coolly,
not stirred, not troubled apparently
by the electric currents that sparked
around them in that room. "This
is the first I've heard of it."

Old John I. snarled, "Ahh-hh!" but
Jill quieted him again with a gentle
gesture.

"Sit down, please, John I. We
can talk this over quietly, don't you
think? We can listen to whatever
Richard has to say."

When Loyalty
Tumbled Down

"What can he say now? Twenty-
five years later?" demanded the old
man. He would not sit down. He
stood facing them, bristling all
over, like a small, gray furious dog.
Jill thought with a small corner
of her mind.

"There's really nothing to say,"
Richard began blandly, lighting a
cigarette, looking around for an ash
tray and finding none, twisting
the burnt match in his fingers. "I
discovered that I missed you all.
I was passing this way on a military
mission—so I came home."

"No amnesia? No wandering
around Europe for years, not know-
ing where you were? You just came
home!" John I. was bitter.

Jill's face was as pale as death.
This was a death—something dying.

In her, an ember dying, a spark
slinking into nothingness, the spark
she had tended so long, so stub-
bornly, knowing all the while that it was
doomed to the dry ardor of
ashes, but refusing to give up. That
was what hurt. Remembering that
foolish loyalty, that lower she had
built of air and dreams and de-
ceptive memory—that tower built
of nothing upon nothing!

"No, I haven't even a dramatic
story," Richard said. "I wasn't
wounded. I wasn't even scratched.
I got a little sick of the war after
tying around a muddy trench for
seventy days, so I went to Paris.
I stayed too long, and explanations
would have been awkward, and
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"We traced you far, Jill," Julia
said. "Your father went to Paris
in twenty-one and spent two months
in France."

"And two thousand dollars!" the
old man put in.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Veterans
SERVICE
BUREAU

EDITOR'S NOTE: This newspaper,
through special arrangement with the
Washington Bureau of Western News-
paper Union at 1616 Eye Street N.W.
Washington, D.C., is able to bring
readers this weekly column on prob-
lems of the veteran and serviceman
and his family. Questions may be ad-
dressed to the above Bureau and they
will be answered in a subsequent col-
umn. No replies can be made direct
by mail, but only in the column which
will appear in this newspaper regularly.

Subsistence Checks

As a result of thousands of com-
plaints received by Veterans' ad-
ministration concerning delays in
receiving subsistence checks by veter-
ans in school, VA is urging both
the veterans and the schools to give
better cooperation with the adminis-
tration as preparations are made for
second semester enrollment
throughout the country.

Here are some reasons why sub-
sistence checks fail to arrive or are
delayed.

1—Veterans fail to report changes
in address when they move, so
checks are automatically returned to
the treasury and held there. Government
checks never are forwarded by post offices.

2—VA receives incomplete infor-
mation from the school or the veter-
an. Subsistence checks must be delayed
until complete facts are obtained
about marriage status, wages, date of enrollment and other
conditions are reported.

3—Schools may delay payments by
being slow in sending in necessary
papers. One large midwest-
ern university last fall waited until
six weeks after enrollment to give VA
necessary papers to pay 450 veter-
ans.

4—Veterans transfer from a school
in one regional office area to one in
a different jurisdiction so delay is
unavoidable while VA records are
transferred. Early in January about
50,000 veterans in school more
than 30 days had not received sub-
sistence checks. Many were in
schools not yet approved by the
state for training under the G.I. bill
and thus were not eligible for sub-
sistence allowance.

Questions and Answers

Q. About a year ago I was informed
that all interest charged by the
government on loans of World War I veterans' bonus money would
be paid back to each veteran who
borrowed on his bonus. Eight per
cent interest was charged by the
government on these loans. Is it
true that it is to be repaid?—E. W.,
North Kansas City, Mo.

A. It would depend upon your situ-
ation and under what circumstances
you received your bonus or loan.
Veterans' administration informs
that all World War I veterans with the exception of less than a dozen who were entitled to rebates
have been notified and paid. If
you did not receive notification,
likely you are not entitled to any
repayment, or if you received your
money in adjusted service bonds,
you are not entitled to reimbursement.
However, to be sure, suggest that you write to Mrs. E. M.
Robinson, chief, Adjusted Compensation
Section, Finance Division, Veterans
Administration, Room 434, Munitions
Building, Washington, D. C.

Q. I would like information for
two children of a veteran of World
War I in regard to their being heirs
to a grandfather's estate. Several
years ago a child

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Carl L. Brown, Publisher



Prosperity Pattern
Switzerland is a small country without seacoast, without natural resources, without enough fields to produce her necessary food. The non-homogeneous people—one part speaking German, another French, and third, Italian—add to her domestic difficulties.

Under these conditions, Switzerland should naturally be expected to be one of the very poorest nations in Europe. On the contrary, however, Switzerland had before the war, and has yet, the highest per capita wealth in Europe. This little country pays the best wages known in Europe and maintains the best living conditions for her workers. Why? How?

A Way and A Will
Why should a people with the least possibilities come out with the highest average wealth, highest wages, and best living conditions? Simply because Switzerland has the right formula for prosperity, plus the will to make the formula work. Switzerland is proof to the world that any nation can have prosperity. There are just three requirements.

1. Switzerland has a real republic, through which the citizens reserve to themselves real individual freedom. Nearly all laws touching the lives of the people are made locally in districts called "cantons," corresponding roughly to our states. Even the amount of income tax to be paid by the people of each canton is decided locally. Political responsibility is a reality. And real freedom of individual opportunity exists.

Ownership Pays Out
2. Switzerland has the right type of economy. All industry is privately owned and operated. Individual ownership of property is encouraged and protected. A high percentage of people own their own homes and their farms. Thrift is encouraged by both the local and national governments.

3. Switzerland has equal responsibility placed by law upon both labor and capital. Industrial peace is encouraged, both by local and national government. Industrial cooperation prevails throughout the nation.

Switzerland is living proof that these three conditions will bring prosperity to any country, regardless of the quantity of its natural resources. The Swiss did not put the eye of aggression on their neighbors, in a search for "living room." Content with their own mountains, they have found that the resources of individual freedom, sane economy, and hard work can give them all they want. These moral resources the Swiss can call their own.

Retain the Formula

France, adjoining, with plenty of natural resources and abundant fertile fields, should now be the most prosperous country in Europe. Instead she is one of the poorest. Her socialist form of government, her nationalization of industry, and her industrial chaos have made prosperity impossible, despite natural resources. France hasn't the right formula.

America, for 150 years, has had the right formula. In our own land we have achieved the highest wages, and the best general living standards ever known. We have had the natural resources. But more important, we have treasured those same moral resources that have made the Swiss great. We have had freedom of opportunity. We have made the formula work. Shall we keep the formula and keep prosperity, or do we start the formula and revert to the disorder for everybody?

PROBATE APPOINTMENTS

The following subscribers hereby give notice that they have received the appointments as indicated from the Probate Court of Oxford County. All persons having demands against the estates represented by them are desired to present the same for settlement and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

Charles W. Crockett, late of Greenwood, deceased; Isaac W. Dryer, late of Bethel, Executor with bond, Feb. 18, 1947.

Carl W. Gidwell, late of Bethel, deceased; Gwendolyn G. Holt of Bethel, Executor without bond, Feb. 18, 1947.

Elizabeth H. Griffin, late of Bethel, deceased; Jessie B. Chapman of Bethel, Administrator CTA without bond, Feb. 18, 1947.

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11 Three people were sick. They

THE COOKIE JAR

By COLLIER



EAST BETHEL

Mrs. Rodney Howe, Correspondent

Miss Barbara Hastings returned

to the U of M Sunday after spending several days at her home here.

The supper and card party put on by the Farm Bureau Saturday night was well attended.

Harry Blake and Jack Clark

from Massachusetts were guests of

Mr. and Mrs. Urban Bartlett over

the week end.

Chester Harrington cut his foot

Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Burns and

Mr. and Mrs. Len Morelletto and

daughter of Norway were callers at

S. B. Newton's Saturday night and

attended the supper at the Grange Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bartlett and

Beth Bartlett have been ill with

an intestinal upset.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Falkenham of

Andover were Sunday guests of

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Newton.

Mrs. Clarence Remington and

son were week end guests of Mrs.

Florence Curtis while Mr. Remington was in New Hampshire to enter

in a carnival in which he found post-

poned.

Mrs. Helen Newmarker and Mrs.

A. H. Smith were in Berlin Sat-

urday.

Mrs. J. C. Lee Bartlett was ill and

had the doctor Sunday morning.

Rodney Howe was in Lewiston

on business Friday.

Claire Tyler is ill.

Mrs. Laurence Crockett and

George Crockett were ill and un-

der the doctor's care the first of last week.

Mrs. John Irvine returned home

Friday after spending several

weeks at Winchester, Mass.

Kenneth Delano of Bethel spent

the week end with Warren Haast-

ings.

Miss Deborah Farwell has re-

turned home after visiting Mrs.

Frederick Walton at Portland satis-

factory.

Mrs. Earl Graves of Rockland is

spending several days with her sis-

ter, Mrs. Urban Bartlett.

Warren Hastings sprained his

ankle Saturday.

The Lucky Clover 4-H Club held

their 9th meeting at Mrs. Bernice

Noyes Saturday. There were 11

members present, two absent, and one visitor.

Mrs. Bartlett told us about find-

ing a partridge nest and sending

it to a survey. She told us about

what they looked like and where

to find them.

The Juniors voted on whether

they wanted to all take part in

demonstrations or draw parts.

They voted that they all wanted

to take part. The boys will demon-

strate on good grooming. Lewis

Smith and Leroy Merrill will de-

monstrate pressing pants and

lark Bartlett and Leo Merrill will

demonstrate mending socks.

Carlene Dorey and Shirley Bart-

lett will do a demonstration on

clothing. Clara Bell Foster and

Mrs. Louise Coolidge will do a

demonstration on dairy foods. Ann

Newmarker will do the announcing.

Dorothy Noyes and Edith Tyler will

do a demonstration for the seniors.

At the next meeting the girls will

do the hemmed patches and the boys

will bring as many kinds of wood

as they can find.

After the meeting Mrs. Noyes

served chocolate milk and crackers.

Then the members went out and

played hide-and-go seek.

Carlene Dorey, Club Reporter

East Bethel Primary School News

No one was late for school this

week. Lary and Eleanor Kennedy

and Bessie and Gerald Piper were

not late even once.

Mr. Christoff brought us a new in-

enerator. We will burn papers in

it. This is the safest way to burn

papers.

We went up to L.D.'s Thursday.

L.D. is Mrs. Urban Bartlett. She al-

ways tells us she likes to have a

come up. We always have fun

when we go there.

It was Harry Smith's birthday

Wednesday. He is nine years old

now.

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HANOVER

Officers Elected:

Moderator—G. C. Barker

Clerk—Marjorie F. Cummings

Selectmen—Ernest L. Holt, Leroy

A. Stearns, G. C. Barker,

Treasurer—Marjorie F. Cummings

Collector—Una Stearns

Rate paid Collector—1 1/4%

School Committee—Mildred Laram

Appropriations:

Roads and Bridges \$650.00

Snow Removal 300.00

Schools 2,100.00

Maintenance ad Class Road 200.00

Officers' Salaries 40.00

Miscellaneous Account 250.00

Aid to Dependent Children 200.00

Interest on School Fund 12.00

School Lunches 55.00

State Aid Road 100.00

Street Lights 125.00

Maine Municipal Assoc. 15.00

Maine Publicity Bureau 25.00

Total Appropriations \$4,772.00

NEWRY

Officers Elected:

Moderator—L. E. Wight

Clerk—Susan E. Wight

Selectmen—L. E. Wight, R. L.

Poster, Roy C. Tripp

Treasurer—Susan E. Wight

Collector—

WARRANT FOR CORPORATION

MEETING To D. Grover Brooks, Clerk of Bethel Village Corporation, County of Oxford, State of Maine.

Greeting: In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby re-

quested to notify and warn the in-

habitants of said Corp. in Bethel,

qualified to vote in Corp. affairs to

meet in the Corporation's Commu-

nity Room in District No. 15 on the

10th day of March, 1947 A. D. at

eight o'clock in the evening, then

and there to act on the following

articles, to wit:

Article 1. To choose a moderator

to preside at said meeting.

Article 2. To receive the report

of the Nominating Committee.

Article 3. To choose a clerk for

the ensuing year (under by-laws

to Mar. 1948).

Article 4. To choose three as-

sessors for the ensuing year.

Article 5. To choose a treasurer

for the ensuing year.

Article 6. To choose a method

for collecting taxes for the ensuing

year.

Article 7. To establish the price

to be paid for collecting taxes for

the ensuing year.

Article 8. To choose a tax col-

lector for the ensuing year.

Article 9. To choose a Park

Commissioner for a three year term

to succeed Dr. E. L. Brown whose

term expires.

Article 10. To choose a Park

Commissioner for one year to com-

plete the unfinished term of Philip

Burns, now non-resident.

Article 11. To choose three Fire

Engineers for the ensuing year.

Article 12. To hear and act on

the printed reports of the Assess-

ors, Tax Collector, Treasurer and

Auditors for the Calendar Year of

1946.

Article 13. To see if the Corp.

will vote to grant and appropriate

the sum of \$39.49 to take care of

abatements for 1946 as made by

the assessors.

Article 14. To see what sum the

Corp. will vote to grant and appro-

priate for the maintenance and

protection of the Corp. Buildings

for the ensuing year.

Article 15. To see if the Corp.

will vote to continue the arrange-

ment with Henry Godwin, or other

parties, to operate the Dump for

another year.

Article 16. To see what sum the

Corp. will vote to grant and appro-

priate for the operation of the

Dump for the ensuing year.

Article 17. To see what sum the

Corp. will vote to grant and appro-

priate for the administration of the

Fire Dept., including members' pay

and the expenses of fires for the

ensuing year.

Article 18. To see if the Corp.

will vote to grant and appropriate

the sum of \$500.00 for new fire hose.

Article 19. To see what sum the

Corp. will vote to grant and ap-

propriate to pay the Bethel Water

Co. for use of Hydrants for the

ensuing year.

Article 20. To see what sum the

Corp. will vote to grant and appro-

priate for Miscellaneous Expenses

incurred in the management of the

Corporation's affairs, not other-

wise provided herein, for the ensu-

ing year.

Article 21. To see what sum the

Corp. will vote to grant and appro-

priate for the employment of Po-

lice, and Traffic enforcement for

the ensuing year.

Article 22. To see what sum the

Corp. will vote to grant and ap-

propriate for the care of Parks and

Trees, including the Skating Rink

for the ensuing year.

Article 23. To see if the Corp.

will vote to have a street light in-

stalled and maintained on Elm St.

between High St. and Summer St.

Article 24. To see if the Corp.

will vote to enter into a contract

with the Central Maine Power Co.

for a term of 10 years, whereby, in

consideration of their furnishing

Street Lighting Service to the Vil-

lage during the term of said Con-

tract (all as more fully set forth

in the contract, copy of which is

presented to this meeting) the

Corp. will pay for such street

lighting service in accordance with

the Company's Municipal Street

Lighting Rate-contract basis, as

approved by the Public Utilities

Commission.

Waterford on Tuesday, March 4.

WELDING

PORTABLE EQUIPMENT

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ALBANY TOWN HOUSE

LOCKE MILLS

Mrs. Annie Bumpus, Correspondent

Albert McAllister called at Har-

lan Bumpus Sunday.

Several young people attended

the social at Waterford Flat Friday

evening.

In spite of the bad weather, sev-

eral people attended the Church

Service Sunday conducted by Rev

Miller.

Kendrick Scribner was a caller

A Hilda Ives Class Meeting was

held Saturday at Mr. and Mrs.

Spring's. Thirteen members and vis-

itors were present for the excel-

lent dinner of baked beans, frank-

furts and rolls, with ice cream, cake

and cookies for dessert. The after-

noon business meeting was conduct-

ed by Vice President Eleanor

Kimball. This was opened as usual

by singing several hymns with Mr.

Spring at the piano. Arline Leigh-

ton read the poem "The Good Old

Grandmother" which the class de-

scribed to the memory of Nancy

Andrews. Arline also read extracts

from the "Daily Work" on how to

work together in peace and harm-

ony.

The President, Myrtle Keniston,

who was ill, and unable to be pre-

sent, sent the class a message which

was read by Eleanor Kimball. It

was reported that four aprons were

made and sent to Nine Bumpus

who is to sell them to the mill girls

and return the money to the class.

Mrs. Spring reported the Sunday

School has given five dollars for

milk in foreign countries.

It was voted to put a dollar in

the bank for each of Alice Ward-

well's twins, Jean and Jane.

Shirley Andrews' name has been

added to the class roll.

At the next meeting each mem-

ber is to bring something to work

BETTER THAN PILLS FOR CONSTIPATION

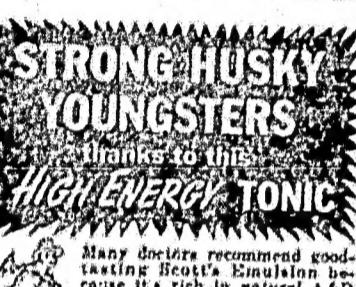
Finds Famous Breakfast Cereal Most Helpful of All

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WOMEN'S

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Watch Your Kidneys!

Help Them Cleanse the Blood of Harmful Body Waste

Year kidneys are constantly filtering waste matter from the blood stream. But when the kidneys are not working well, not all the waste is removed. This can cause more impurities that, if released, may release the system and upset the whole body.

Symptoms may be aching backache, persistent headache, attacks of dizziness, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness and the system feeling tired, nervous, easily fatigued, and weak.

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DOAN'S PILLS



HOUSEHOLD MEMOS

by Lynn Chambers



Serve Fish for Meal Variety
(See recipes below)

Lenten Specials

Many of us never investigate the possibilities of delectable fish dinners until the Lenten season. I can't help thinking this is a pity because fish is a source of such easily digested proteins and is especially rich in vitamins and minerals.

Fish is tender and requires little cooking. It can be prepared easily even by the amateur cook if she just follows some simple directions.

For the more experienced cook, there is a wealth of fish dishes, many of them combining two types of fish for extra deliciousness. She can get an amazing variety into the diet simply by experimenting with the delightful variety in fish cookery.

Baked Red Snapper Marguerite.
(Serves 8 to 10)

2 pounds red snapper
2 pounds boiled shrimp, chopped
1/2 pound American cheese,
grated
1 cup white sauce
3 hard-cooked eggs
1/2 cup cooked mushrooms
1 tablespoon chopped oysters or
truffles

Bake fish until tender and separate from bones into large pieces. Place one half of fish in buttered or oiled casserole, cover with one-half the eggs, cheese, shrimp, mushrooms and oysters. Repeat, then pour white sauce over all. Bake 30 minutes in a moderate (350-degree) oven. Any boiled or leftover fish may be used in place of the red snapper.

Sizzlin' Fish Steaks.
(Serves 8 to 10)

4 pounds frozen or fresh halibut,
salmon or swordfish
1/2 cup diced bacon
1/2 cup rich milk
1 cup bread crumbs
Pepper
1/2 teaspoon garlic or onion salt

Allow steaks to thaw, if frozen. Dip in seasoned milk, then in bread crumbs. Place in pan with diced bacon on top of fish. Cook in a very hot (450-degree) oven for 30 minutes, until browned nicely.

Transfer to heated metal platter which has been sprinkled with water. Serve immediately while sizzling.

Fish With Mushrooms.
(Serves 4)

2 cups cooked fish, flaked
1 cup medium thick white sauce
2 tablespoons butter or bacon
fat
1/2 cup water
1 teaspoon lemon juice
1 pound mushrooms
1 tablespoon minced green pepper
Salt, pepper, paprika

Cut and saute mushrooms in butter or bacon fat. Remove mushrooms when cooked and add water, fish, green pepper, lemon juice and seasonings. Combine mushrooms with white sauce. After fish mixture has simmered 3 minutes, add white sauce and transfer mixture to casserole. Dust top with paprika, and bake in a hot (450-degree) oven for 25 minutes.

Lynn SAYB: According to Season

Pollok: A lean fish, native of the North Atlantic. It's in season all year around and averages 12 pounds in size.

Striped Bass: Native of the Atlantic. In season all year. The fish is fat and weighs on the average of two pounds.

Butterfish: Native of rivers and lakes. This is a fat fish, weighing on average of two pounds.

LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU

Tomato Juice with Lemon Wedge
Scallop Cakes Tartar Sauce
Browned Potatoes
Harvard Beets
Carrot-Raisin Slaw
Rye Bread
Orange Tapioca Beverage
"Recipe given."

Broiled Mackerel. (Serves 8)

3 pounds mackerel
Salt and pepper
1 tablespoon salad oil
1 tablespoon butter
Juice of 1 lemon
1 lemon, sliced
Parsley to garnish

If fish is large, split in middle of back; otherwise broil whole. Season well by rubbing with salt and pepper, mixed with salad oil. Broil on rack, browning well on all sides. Before removing from broiler, spread with mustard paste and run through broiler long enough to melt paste. Serve on hot platter, garnished with lemon slices and parsley. Pour lemon juice and melted butter over before serving.

Mustard Paste: Cream 1 teaspoon mustard with 2 tablespoons butter, add 2 tablespoons of finely chopped parsley and 2 tablespoons of lemon juice. Spread on broiled fish and sprinkle with paprika.

Scallop Cakes. (Serves 6)

1 pint scallops
2 eggs
2 cups flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
Milk
Salt and pepper

Cut scallops if they are large and parboil them. Drain and chop very fine. Beat eggs slightly, add flour sifted with baking powder. Mix with enough milk to make a batter easily dropped from spoon. Bent well and add scallops. Heat drippings in a skillet and drop batter by spoonfuls into hot fat. Sprinkle with seasonings. Brown, turn to other side and brown. Serve at once.

Broiled Sardines on Toast. (Serves 4)

2 tablespoons fat
1/2 cup soft bread crumbs
2 eggs, hard-cooked and chopped
1 cup rich milk, warmed
Salt and pepper
1 can sardines
Buttered toast
Paprika

Melt fat in top of double boiler, add bread crumbs and milk; heat thoroughly. Add eggs and season with salt and pepper. Broil sardines for 5 minutes; arrange on toast and cover with toast. Dust with paprika.

Tuna à la King.
2 cups milk
4 tablespoons flour
4 tablespoons butter
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon pepper
1/2 teaspoon Worcester sauce
2 cups (1 lb.) canned tuna fish
3 cups drained pimientos
1/2 cup tiny mushrooms

Scald milk in double boiler. Make a paste of flour and melted butter and add to hot milk, beating with an egg beater until thick and smooth. Add seasonings and cook 15 minutes. Flake tuna fish into large pieces. Mix with white sauce. Add pimientos and mushrooms.

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THE BROAD ROAD

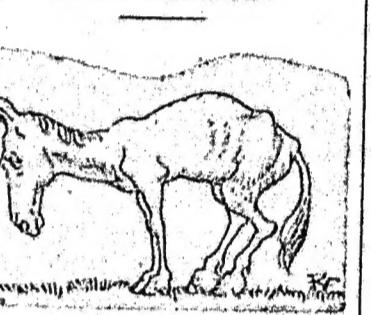
Neil Gow was a whimsical Scotch musician strongly addicted to the whisky bottle. His chief diversion was playing the violin at country dances.

One night Neil contributed his cheerful talents to a dance a few miles distant from his village. About mid-morning the day following he arrived back at his cottage, much worse for wear.

"Well, Neil," observed a neighbor, "I'm no surprised to see ye so late getting home. It was a long walk."

"Ah," replied Neil, "I didna mind the length o' the road; it was the uncommon breadth o' the thing that was ma ruination!"

PRIDE RESTORER



A hard-up sportsman bought a horse but failed to pay its former owner. Later he met the man who sold him the horse.

"I am not at all satisfied with that animal," the hunter said.

"Why, what's the trouble?" asked the dealer.

"Well, the nag won't hold his head up."

"Oh, that's all right," replied the dealer, "that's his pride. Just you wait until he's paid for."

Nothing Strange
A Broadway actor awoke one morning to find a red tulip growing out of the crown of his head. He was worried, so he consulted his doctor. "It's all a mystery to me," said the medic. "Why don't you see Believe it—me—Not Ripley?"

The actor thought it was a good idea and hurried to the Ripley headquarters. He walked over to the blonde receptionist and nervously removed his hat. "I would like to see Mr. Ripley," he said.

The receptionist looked him over, yawned and asked, "What is it about?"

Quite a Break
When the name of the plaintiff was called out in court, much to everyone's amazement, he stood up in the jury box.

"What are you doing there?" snapped the clerk.

"I was called to serve on the jury," was the meek reply.

"But you must have known you couldn't sit on the jury to try your own case!"

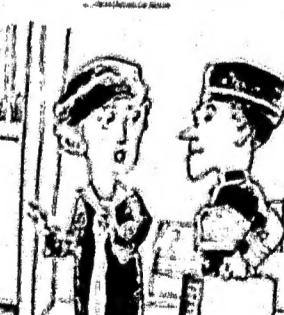
"I suppose not," admitted the plaintiff ruefully. "I did think it was a bit of luck."

Nothing Stiff!
An army chaplain aboard a troop train was in obvious distress and a colored corporal came over to ask if there was any way he could help him.

"I'll be all right soon," said the chaplain. "They gave me three shots this morning and it nearly knocked me out."

"I sho' understand," replied the corporal. "Three shots of the stuff they sell around here would knock anybody out."

WRONG IMPRESSION
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MUSCLE ACHE



Old Lady (to bell boy)—I tell you I won't live in this room! I'm not going to pay my good money for a closet with a measly little folding bed in it. If you think that just because I'm from the country, . . .

Bell Boy (cutting in weary)—Get in, lady, get in. This isn't your room. This is the elevator.

Keep the Secret

"Who was that ugly woman you were out with last night?"

"Will you promise not to tell my wife?"

"Oh, sure."

"Well, that was my wife."

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Tiny Adirondack Village Leads In Winter Sport Development

Garnets Glitter Along Ski Trails At North Creek

WNU Features

NORTH CREEK, N. Y.—Determined to improve the opportunities nature gave it when it placed a 3,000 foot mountain right in its back yard, this tiny Adirondack village, long known as a pioneer in New York state winter sport development, has entered another bid for fame this season. It has installed what the village fathers describe as the first electrically operated Constam T-bar lift in the eastern United States.

The lift pulls skiers up the entire 3,000 foot slope of Gore mountain—a labor saving device that adds immeasurably to enjoyment of the sport and vast popularity to North Creek as a ski center.

The new electric lift is an excellent example of community spirit in operation. Skiing is a community enterprise in the little town of 703 inhabitants, whose pattern of life is tied up with it. When it was decided to put in the new Alpine lift, the money as on previous occasions was raised by the townsfolk.

Form First Patented.

Back of this venture was the re-collection of North Creek's record as a winter sports specialist. It was at this little Adirondack town that the first ski patrol in the United States was organized. On Gore mountain's slopes the first down-mountain ski trail in New York state was laid out and this small skiing center was the destination of the first snow train in the state on March 2, 1934. That train, as the villagers recall, came from Schenectady and was planned to handle a crowd of 500—but 700 took the trip.

North Creek also pioneered the famous "Ride Up—Slide Down" slogan, when buses were provided to carry skiers from the bottom of the trails up the winding mountain road, which leads to the noted garnet mines and to the beginning of five well-known trails.

It was this highway that made North Creek the original "down hill" ski center in the East, for it is from the top of the highway that the Gore mountain network of downhill trails radiates.

The combined investment in lift, slopes, bus and other facilities provided by the village entrepreneurs



PIONEER SKI CENTER . . . By snow trains and buses, winter sport enthusiasts flock to North Creek, one of New York state's most popular skiing sites. A wide variety of slopes and trails, ranging from easy novice slopes to expert runs, lure crowds of skiers.

aggregates more than \$70,000.

Community Endeavor. Heading the community development program is the town physician; Dr. James A. Glenn, who is president of Gore Mountain Ski club. The manager of the local woodworking mill, Spencer Johnston, is vice president. Dr. H. L. Bratley, the local dentist, is executive member of the club in charge of racing. The lawyer, Philip C. Brassell; the justice of the peace, Kenneth Bennett; and the lumber dealer, William C. Schilde, are directors of the Ski Lift corporation, of which the undertaker, Kenneth W. Swain, is president.

At the top of North Creek's "Ride Up—Slide Down" Gore mountain are the leading garnet mines in the country. Garnets have like red diamonds in the sunlight and the winter sports fan gets an added thrill out of digging small pieces of the colorful stuff from the snow. From a promontory the skier can look down into the mines and across to the sheer rock walls hung with various boulders sparkling in the sun. Close by are the high peaks of the Adirondacks, forming a startling panoramic view of mountain grandeur in winter dress. At his feet are the headwaters of the Hudson river.

Maze of Trails. A city block from the garnet mines is a 1,400-foot tow leading to trails rated for the novice, intermediate and expert.

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Firm believers in controlled sliding and up-hilling Otto Schnebly's famous statement that "skiing is a way of life" instruction is offered to children from 5 to 18, who gather on the slopes every Friday afternoon to take lessons. Annually there is a children's ski race when the Toppling trophy is in competition.

Special awards are made to

winners but North Creek enterprise believes skiing should be encouraged and as a result all contestants win a prize or participation trophy.

The Barton Trophy race, sanctioned by USASKA, is held annually on the Garnet trail, a mile long and with a drop of approximately 1,000 feet.

Eighty-six members make up North Creek's ski patrol, which is affiliated with the national ski patrol system, and the ages range from the high school years on up.

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A General Quiz

1. Where do the Kaffirs live?
2. Does the United States own the land surrounding the Panama canal?

3. What is the correct title of the Northwest Mounted Police?

4. Is there such a place as an elephant's graveyard?

5. Maximilian, once emperor of Mexico, was an archduke of what country?

The Answers

1. In South Africa.

2. No, the United States rents it.

3. Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

4. No. Elephants lie down and die wherever death overtakes them.

5. Austria.

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CHURCH ACTIVITIES

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. K. W. Hawthorne, Minister
Parish School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Adult Class, 12:00 noon.

The "Milk Fund Drive" is being

liberally supported by the children of the Parish. Barbara Kuzik, chairman of the campaign announced Sunday. This drive to help buy

milk for children in war stricken areas promises to a great success.

Francis R. Kelly, the minister of the 6th Street Congregational Church, Auburn, will be the preacher Thursday evening at 7:30 in the Methodist Church at the regular Union Lenten Service. Mr. Kelly was born in Scotland and moved to this country as a child. Since he completed his theological training at Bangor Seminary, he continued his studies at Bates College.

Members of the Guild are looking forward to a pot-luck supper Wednesday evening at 6:30 in the church. Celia Gorman, Ina Mundt and Florence Blake are to be the hostesses.

METHODIST CHURCH

William Penner, Pastor
9:45 Church School, Miss Anna E. Wilson, superintendent.

The classes of the church school are invited to attend the first part of the worship service at 11:00 o'clock.

11:00 Morning Worship service. Sermon theme: "Jesus' Service Through Suffering."

6:30 Youth Fellowship meeting at Eldon Greenleaf's home. Phyllis Merrill has charge of the devotional service. There will be the annual business meeting and election of officers.

On Tuesday, March 11, at 7:30 o'clock there will be a meeting of all the officers and committee members of the Methodist Church at the home of Mrs. Mabel Greenleaf. The Union Lenten service on Thursday, March 13, will be held in the Methodist Church. Rev. F. R. Kelly, minister of the Sixth Street Congregational Church in Auburn will be the guest speaker.

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BETHEL BOY HELD FOR SERVICE STATION BREAK

Elmer Stone, 17 year old Bethel boy, was arraigned in Norway Municipal court Saturday morning on charges of breaking, entering and larceny. He was found guilty and held for the grand jury. The arrest was in connection with the break at Bucky's Service Station on Tuesday night, February 25.

GILEAD

Mrs. Josephine Cole has returned to her home in Gray after spending a few days with her father, George E. Leighton.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Garay and family of Poland Springs spent the week end with her brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Willis and grandson, Nathan, of Gorham, N. H., were guests of Mrs. Florence Holden, Saturday.

Warren Noyes of West Burke, Vt., was a guest of friends in town this week.

Lindsay Dorcy of Bethel spent the week end at his home here.

Glendon McAllister of Lowiston spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milo McAllister.

Mrs. Antoinette Nedeen of Berlin, was a visitor in town this week.

John McBride was a visitor in Berlin, N. H., Wednesday.

Charles Morin went to Berlin, Saturday to visit relatives.

BORN

In Norway, March 3, to Mr. and Mrs. Leo Billings of Woodstock, a daughter, Linda Lee.

In Rumford, Feb. 22, to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Johnston, a daughter.

In Rumford, Feb. 25, to Mr. and Richard Waldron, a daughter, Gertrude Ann.

MARRIED

In Berlin, N. H., Feb. 26, by Rev.

Geo. B. Williams, Miss Alice Oleson of Berlin, N. H. and Alton Cross of Bethel.

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"Make a noise!" — Advice of Senator Homer Capenhart, Ind., to new Congressmen.

"There need be no depression, or recession, if we all work together." — Pres. Earl Burling, National Association of Manufacturers.

"Continuous and efficient production is the biggest single need of our country." — Chairman E. G. Grace, Bethlehem Steel.

"Pick a man who looks straight at you." — Shirley Temple, married a year, on how to choose a husband.

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